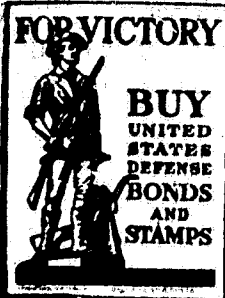
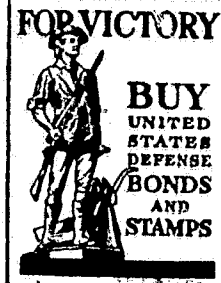


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The BETHEL OXFORD COUNTY CITIZEN



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SUGAR RATIONING DETAILS EXPLAINED

Sec. 35 (A) of the United States Criminal Code makes it a criminal offense, punishable by a maximum of 10 years' imprisonment, \$10,000 fine, or both, to make a false statement or representation to any Department or Agency of the United States as to any matter within the jurisdiction of any Department or Agency of the United States.

Information Regarding Commercial Units

The dates set for trade or commercial registration are Tuesday and Wednesday, April 28 and 29. This includes retailers, hotels, restaurants, food shops, institutions. People coming under this group who live in Bethel, Gilead, Greenwood, Newry, Albany, Mason or Grafton will register at Gould Academy on Tuesday, April 28, from 9 a. m. to 5:30 p. m. and from 6:30 p. m. to 8 p. m., also on Wednesday, April 29, from 9 a. m. to 5:30 p. m.

It is expected that all registrants for commercial rationing have received, or will have this week, definite instructions concerning information required on applications.

People in the commercial group who reside in Upton will register at Upton school building on Tuesday, April 28, from 4 p. m. to 6 p. m. and on Wednesday from 6:30 to 8 p. m.

Information Regarding Registration for Individual Consumers

The dates set for registration for household consumers are Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday, May 4, 5, 6 and 7. People residing in Bethel will register at the various school buildings as follows:

The village population and the population of those sections of the town whose pupils attend the village schools will register at the Bethel Grammar School on Monday and Tuesday, May 4 and 5, from 9 a. m. to 8 p. m. Please register on those dates if possible. If any cannot do this, opportunity will be given on Wednesday and Thursday, May 6 and 7, from 5 p. m. to 8 p. m.

Albany people will register at the Bethel Grammar School on Monday and Tuesday, May 4 and 5.

The West Bethel and Mason population will register at the West Bethel school building on Monday, May 4, from 9 a. m. to 8 p. m., and on Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday from 5 p. m. to 8 p. m.

The population of Newry, Gilead, Upton and Grafton will be informed of their registration hours through the schools of their locality.

The public is earnestly requested to cooperate in this great task of registering. Please be prompt and come prepared to give the following information regarding each member of your family.

Name in full
Height
Weight
Color of eyes
Color of hair
Age

No. lbs. of granulated, brown or confectioners' sugar on hand.

The Superintendent of Schools will be glad to answer any questions regarding place or time of registering for any who are not sure about the school building to which they are to go.

Garrie M. Wight, Supt. of Schools

ANNUAL MEETING LOCAL RED CROSS TO BE HELD NEXT TUESDAY

The annual meeting of the Bethel Branch of the American Red Cross will be held at the Legion Rooms next Thursday, April 23, at 4 p. m. All officers are asked to be present.

BOOKS DESIRED FOR MEN IN ARMED SERVICE

If you have any favorite books, novels, biographies, poetry or short stories which are in good condition and which you would like to donate to our young men in the service of our country, please leave them at the Bethel Public Library. There is an urgent need for reading material among our armed forces.

DR. BROWN HEADS

BETHEL BOWLERS

The local bowling tournament ended Wednesday evening with the following scores:

Dr. E. L. Brown, 1031; Elmer Bennett, 967; Myron Bryant, 956; Philip Brooks, 953; Martin Theriault, 953; Jack Gill, 952; Wallace Morgan, 951; Lee Hutchins, 946; Clarence Rolfe, 943; Earl Davis, 932; Edward Wheeler, 929; Richard Crockett, 923; Rudy Belanger, 915; Benj. Scothorne, 906; B. L. Newton, 900; J. B. Chapman, 900; Lester Enman, 893; Addison Saunders, 884; Warren Bean, 881; Richard Young, 816.

Prizes were awarded as follows: first prize, Dr. Brown, \$10; second, Elmer Bennett, \$5; third, Myron Bryant, \$1.25; fifth, Jack Gill, \$1.25; seventh, Lee Hutchins, \$1.25; tenth, Edward Wheeler, \$1.25.

Recent guests of Dr. and Mrs. Homer E. Lawrence have been Mrs. Lawrence's parents, Rev. and Mrs. T. S. Cooley, and her sister, Patty, of North Berwick.

MEN 45-65 REGISTER NEXT MONDAY FOR SELECTIVE SERVICE

The Selective Service Registration in Bethel will take place in Odeon Hall next Monday, April 27, between the hours of 7 a. m. and 9 p. m. At that time all men born on or after April 28, 1897, and on or before Feb. 16, 1897, who have not registered previously, must register.

Places of registration in other towns in this section are:

Gilead—Town Hall
Greenwood—Town Hall, Locke Mills

Hanover—Town Clerk's Office
Lovell—Village school house
Milton—Town Clerk's Office
Newry—Grange Hall
Riley Grant—Sunday River Camps

Waterford—Town House
West Paris—Firemen's Hall
Woodstock—Cole's store, Bryant Pond

Upton—Selectmen's Office

100% VACCINATED

The pupils of the West Bethel schools enjoy the record of 100 percent vaccination.

THURSDAY, APRIL 23, 1942

Sun rises 5:43; sets 7:32

Weather and temperatures: April 17, 30, showers; April 18, 34 cloudy, rain; April 19, 38, cloudy; April 20, 37, cloudy; April 21, 32 clouds, wind; April 22, 35, fair; April 23, 32, pleasant, warm.

LOCAL SOLDIERS RECEIVING CIGARETTES FROM HOME

A box was installed at Burns' Red & White Store last week, inviting contributions for cigarettes for soldiers from this locality. The plan is to send a carton each week to one man in the country's armed forces, his name being drawn from a box. The first recipient was Stanley Carter of Camp Shelby, Miss., whose gift was sent Friday afternoon.

LOCAL DEFENSE COMMITTEE HEADS DISCUSS PROGRESS

All of the Bethel defense committee heads and many members attended the meeting at the Legion Rooms Sunday evening when the duties of the various committees were reviewed and progress reported. It is the duty of each chairman to contact the members of his committee and see that the duties are understood. Members may be added to any committee if considered necessary. It is reported that the disaster committee will have drills immediately.

Committee heads who spoke at the meeting were air raid, D. Grover Brooks; outpost, John Compass; police, Frank Hunt; disaster, E. Linwood Brown; survey, G. L. Thurston; rescue, Ralph Young; medical aid, Dr. R. R. Tibbets; shelter, Henry Boyker; food, Mrs. Sadie Allen; clothing, Mrs. Henry Bennett; transportation and communication, Eugene Van Den Kerckhoven; registration and information, Miss Ida Packard.

GOULD'S FIRST GAME HERE SATURDAY

On Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock Gould Academy's 1942 baseball team will open with Gorham, N. H., High as opponent. The local boys got outdoors for the first time Wednesday when they played an intra-squad practice session.

The team this year has many new faces in the starting lineup. Berry, Robertson, and Coolidge are infield veterans and Amato in the outfield played last year. The others, including the battery, are all green material. Not too much can be expected of the team under the circumstances. They however are showing great interest and may develop into a first rate outfit. Coach Myers is again the helm, assisted by Howie Chivers.

Coach Myers announces the following lineup for Saturday: Young, Coolidge, Robertson, and Berry around the horn and Adams, Morton, and Amato in the outfield. Wright is scheduled to start behind the bat and McInnis is slated for the opening assignment on the mound.

The visitors will come with a strong team as Gorham is a real baseball town and are represented always by a classy club. Gorham has the advantage over the locals that they have a veteran flinger in Lefty Martel, who has plenty of stuff on the ball, control, and good baseball sense.

ENGAGEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert I. Bean announce the engagement of their daughter, Muriel Edwina, to Rodney Warren Brooks, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde O. Brooks of Bethel.

Miss Bean is to graduate from Gould Academy this spring. Mr. Brooks attended the Bethel schools and is employed at the mill of H. F. Thurston & Son.

The wedding is planned for the last of June and the couple will make their home in Bethel.

STATE OF MAINE TOWN OF BETHEL Notice to Innkeepers and Common Victualers

The Municipal Licensing Board of the Town of Bethel will be in session on Monday, the fourth day of May next at 1 o'clock p. m., to license such persons of good moral character, as they deem necessary, to be Innkeepers and Common Victualers in the Town of Bethel for the current year. All persons desiring to be licensed shall make application and shall be required to file with said application their bond in the penal sum of three hundred dollars for a Victualer's and, or, Innkeeper's license, before May 4th next, at the Town Clerk's office.

Dated at Bethel, Maine, this 28th day of April, A. D. 1942.

ALICE J. BROOKS
Town Clerk, Town of Bethel.

A WEEK of The WAR

War Production Chairman Nelson, speaking in New York City, said the United Nations have now outstripped the Axis in war production. Because of the accumulated reserves of the enemy, however, "we have not yet won the battle of production," he said. Vice President Wallace said by July of this year the U. S. will be producing more war materiel than any other nation in the history of the world.

Manpower Mobilization

Federal Security Administrator McNutt was made Chairman of a nine-man War Manpower Commission set up by the President to "bring about the most effective mobilization and the maximum use of the nation's manpower." Mr. McNutt said the Commission will establish a labor priorities system to allocate manpower on a voluntary basis. If this system fails, he said he would ask for authority to assign men and women to specific jobs. He reported an additional 10 million workers will be needed in war production this year, many of whom will have to be obtained through recruiting of women, young people and retired workers.

The War Front

War Secretary Stimson told a press conference the U. S. Army is almost ready for the offensive. Army Communiqués reported 13 Australian-based American bombers, in a 4,000 mile round-trip raid on Japanese installations in the Philippines, sank four enemy ships, damaged four others and caused widespread damage. The Army and Navy withheld comment on reports that American bombers had raided Tokyo, Yokohama, Kobe and other Japanese cities and inflicted extensive property damage.

Gen. MacArthur named the members of his staff assisting him as head of the United Nations Southwest Pacific Command. Gen. Wainwright said Corregidor Island could and would hold out. He said an estimated 50,000 American and Filipino combatant and non-combatant troops on Bataan are now

Summarizing information on the important developments of the week, made available by official sources through 5 p. m., Monday of this week.

Foreign Relations

The White House reported Lend-Lease aid amounted to more than \$3 billion by the end of March. War supplies sent to Russia in March were two and a half times as great as those sent in February. President Roosevelt notified Ambassador to Vichy Leahy to return to this country for instructions, because of the domination of the new government of France by the pro-German Laval. The State Department said three American ships scheduled to carry food and clothing to France and North Africa are being held here pending clarification of the Vichy situation.

Army and Selective Service

The War Department said organization of 32 new divisions this year is being carried out on schedule. The Department said the Army Medical Corps strength will be doubled to meet demands of the expanded Army. Physicians under 45 years and dentists under 35 will be eligible for commissions as first lieutenants. The Department also announced formation of a new combat force, the Tank Destroyer Command, which will begin training in Texas early this summer.

Shipping

The War Shipping Administration requisitioned all the remaining American-owned ocean-going vessels which had not been taken over by the Government previously. Every detail of operation—cargoes,

ing in Texas early this summer.

The Department said it will grant furloughs of 10 days to inductees after their processing at reception centers, if local boards recommend such action for men who need the time to clear up personal affairs. Selective Service Director Hershey said the supply of men classified as 1-A probably will be exhausted by the end of summer and the calling of men of 1-B classification probably will start in the fall.

Navy and Air

The Navy Department said the Bureau of Yards and Docks will act as contracting agency for the Department for all construction accomplished by private agencies, including works subcontracted under a prime contractor. Two new destroyers were launched and a third was commissioned. The President directed Navy Secretary Knox to take over three plants of the Brewster Aeronautical Corp. in order to increase their production.

President Roosevelt and Canadian Prime Minister King announced jointly that all United Nations with air training programs under way in the U. S. or Canada will confer in Ottawa early in May on "further united military efforts."

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NOTICE

The Telephone Directory Closes May 1, 1942. Those wishing changes in service or new subscribers desiring to be in the new Directory please contact at once

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SATURDAY, APRIL 25

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SCHOOL DAYS

By DWIG



WEST PARIS

Mrs. Geneva Tuell, Correspondent

JOHN E. BROCK

Funeral services for John E. Brock were held from the I. W. Andrews and Son funeral home, South Woodstock, Rev. Rensel Colby, pastor of the Congregational Church, South Paris, officiated.

West Paris Lodge F. & A. M. conducted their burial service. A quartette composed of L. W. Titus, R. T. Smith and Harold Haskell of South Paris and John Foss of West Paris sang "He Sleeps."

There were many beautiful flowers.

The bearers were E. J. Mann, W. E. Penley, O. L. Peabody, L. H. Penley, Frank Mayhew and R. A. Bacon. Interment was at Wayside Cemetery, W. Paris.

Out of town people attending were Mr. and Mrs. Merton Hammond of Haverhill, Mass., Mrs. Clarence Whitney, Skowhegan, Me., and Mrs. Roy White, Eunice Bano, George Taylor, South Paris and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Wardwell, Buckfield. Burial took place at Wayside Cemetery, West Paris.

Mr. and Mrs. Harris Ellingwood were honored on the occurrence of their 50th wedding anniversary by West Paris Grange at their hall Saturday evening. A large number of friends and relatives were present. Mr. and Mrs. Ellingwood have four children. Mr. Ellingwood has been one of the prominent farmers of Paris until this year he purchased the Herrick house on Main Street and moved there. Both Mr. and Mrs. Ellingwood are active in Grange work.

Miss Betty Smith of Brunswick is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Ernest Gammon.

Mrs. May Wagar underwent surgery at the Rumford Community Hospital, Monday.

A lookout station has recently been established at Arthur Dean's. Simeon Farr came from Rumford Hospital, Monday, where he underwent an appendectomy.

Rev. Eleanor B. Forbes officiated at the funeral of Mrs. Purkis at Buckfield, Tuesday.

Warren Waterhouse is ill from scarlet fever at the C. M. G. Hospital, and his son, Philip, is ill at his home and has a trained nurse. Both are doing well.

Grover Keene, who with Mrs. Keene is a caretaker at the Fifield home, is quite ill.

Mrs. Velverie Andrews went to the Rumford Hospital Monday for blood transfusions.

Mrs. John Ross is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cummings at Beebe, Vt.

Mrs. Charles Curtis is making good recovery from her recent illness.

Mrs. Bessie Bisbee was a caller Sunday on Miss Mabel Ricker.

Mr. Renie Cole has a streptococcus sore throat, and is quite ill.

Miss Helmi Cummings spent the week-end in Portland with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Cummings.

The Good Will Society held a very pleasant meeting Thursday at the home of Rev. Eleanor B. Forbes. Sixteen were present for dinner and others came in the afternoon.

Miss Eleanor Purkis of Buckfield is a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ring.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wellcome and Dorothy of Wallham, Mass., and Gordon and Carolyn LaBay of Portland were guests Sunday of Mrs. Ada Barden and Miss Ella Curtis.

The L. C. Bates Men's Club enjoyed a fine entertainment Monday evening at the Universalist Church.

SONGO POND

Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Grindle spent Wednesday evening with his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Kimball.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Kimball of South Portland were over the week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Kimball.

Mrs. Alice Clough and baby boy were in Berlin, N. H., Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Grindle called on her sister, Mrs. Zella Smith, and family, Saturday evening.

Joe Hamel who is working in the woods was at A. B. Kimball's, Sunday.

Hollis Grindle helped Elmer Saunders move, Monday evening.

Dr. Lariviere

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UPTON

Mrs. C. A. Juddins, Correspondent

The Home Nursing Class in Upton finished its course on Monday evening this week. After the close of the meeting all the members went to the home of Mrs. C. A. Juddins, where they presented Mrs. K. A. Hinkley, R. N., who has been conducting the class, with several pieces of pyrex ware. A lunch, furnished by all the members of the class, was then served and a social hour was enjoyed.

Rev. and Mrs. N. L. Scruton and family are spending a few days this week with relatives in Hudson Falls, N. Y.

Mrs. Cora Brown has returned from the C. M. G. Hospital.

W. L. Fuller is in the Rumford Community Hospital.

Miss Etta Barnett spent last week with relatives in North Jay. She has now gone to work for Mrs. C. A. Juddins for the summer.

Mrs. Wm. Barnett, Mrs. A. E. Allen, Mrs. Guy Pratt, and Mrs. Claude Lombard attended the Canteen meeting at Bear River Grange Hall at Newry, Wednesday of this week.

The Girls' 4-H Club met at the home of their leader, Mrs. Roland Bernier, last Saturday afternoon.

LOCKE MILLS

Mary Mills, Correspondent

There will be a supper at the Town Hall Friday evening at 6 o'clock, for the benefit of the 4-H girls' club.

Colby Ring has finished working here and will soon move to Albany where he will engage in farming with his son, Murray Ring.

George Day of Rumford was a guest of his brother, Herbert Day, and other relatives last week.

Joan and Betty Davis visited recently with their sister, Mrs. Lloyd Fuller, at Bryant Pond.

Mrs. Donald Tebbets has returned home from a visit with her son, John, at Oberlin, Ohio.

Joseph Vetkuskey has gone to Berlin, where he will have employment for about two months.

Harry Cole visited with his aunt, Mrs. Ray Cotton, at Bethel last week.

Gerald Robinson and family have moved to Norway. The two children who go to school will remain with relatives until the end of the school year.

Ray Conant is acting as postmaster for Mrs. Gerald Robinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Herrick and family of Mechanic Falls are with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Crockett. Mr. Herrick is working in the mill.

Mrs. Edith Abbott of Bryant

NEWRY CORNER

Mrs. Leona Lurvey was in Upton last week, being called there by the serious illness of her father, Walter Fuller, who was later in the week taken to the Community Hospital.

The Newry Farm Bureau was hostess to the Bethel, West Bethel and Middle Intervale groups last Saturday afternoon when Mrs. Theresa Anderson of Augusta spoke on Health. After her very interesting and educational talk, tea was served by Mrs. Arsenault and Mrs. Hulbert.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Morton, Jr. and family spent the week end with her parents in Auburn.

Miss Walsh will conduct the first canteen lesson Wednesday, April 22. There were 8 from the local group who completed the Nutrition Course and the 4 who will take this course are Mrs. Richards, Mrs. Chapman, Mrs. Arsenault and Mrs. Hulbert.

Mr. and Mrs. Bedford Corey of Dixfield were at Edw. Warren's Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Albertine Waite is working in Bethel for a while.

SCHOOL SAVINGS BANK

Week of April 20			
Grade	Savings Bank	Total	PerCent
I	\$4.00	\$3.80	49
II	1.00	2.35	57
III	1.00	2.45	61
IV	3.00	2.50	64
V	\$11.00	\$11.10	
VI	1.00	\$1.60	34
VII	5.00	3.25	65
VIII		2.30	68
	3.00	3.20	57
	\$9.00	\$10.35	

Fourth and Seventh Grades have banners.

ROWE HILL

Mr. and Mrs. Colby Ring are at their home here for a while.

Delphon Howe of Gorham, N. H., was at his place here, Sunday.

Winnie Hanscom and Rosalia Palmer were in South Paris, Friday.

Stella West of Gorham has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Records.

Osman Palmer was at Colby Ring's after a load of hay, Monday evening.

D. L. Heath was calling in the neighborhood, Sunday.

Pond was a recent visitor of her daughter, Mrs. Donald Bennett.

David Roberts has gone to South Portland to work in the ship yard.

Loring Roberts has the German measles.

BRYANT'S MARKET

- FRI. SAT. SPECIALS -

Fancy Brisket		Swift's Jewel	
CORNER BEEF	lb. 29c	SHORTENING	3 lb. can 65c
Middle Rib		IGA Family	
CORNER BEEF	lb. 21c	FLOUR	24 1/2 lb. bag \$1.05
Club		WHEATIES	2 pkgs. 21c
SIRLOIN STEAK	lb. 45c	Dutch Crown	
Short		COCOA	2 lb. can 19c
RUMP STEAK	lb. 47c	Ohio Red Label	
California Sunkist Navel		MATCHES	6 boxes 25c
ORANGES	doz. 39c	IGA	
Florida		TOMATO JUICE	46 oz. cn. 23c
CELERY	bunch 12c	Superba	
Texas		CHEESE	lb. 37c
CARROTS	2 bunches 13c	IGA	
TOMATOES	lb. 17c	GRAPEFRUIT	No. 2 can 15c
IGA Shortening		20 Mule Team	
SNO-KREEM	3 lb. can 69c	BORAX	lb. 15c
	1 lb. can 24c	BORAXO	8 oz. can 15c
IGA Red Ripe		CAMAY SOAP	3 bars 20c
TOMATOES 2 No. 2 cans	27c	KRISPY CRACKERS	lb. 18c
2 No. 2 1/2 cans	39c	All Flavors	
		JELL-IT	4 pkgs. 19c
		IVORY FLAKES	lge. pkg. 23c
		MALTEX Cereal	pkg. 22c

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Don't give the engine more gas than it can digest.

Don't accelerate too rapidly.

Frequently, the only result of an extra burst of speed is extra pressure on the brakes a moment later.

Don't drive fast unless you're really in a hurry—and even then stop to think if the time saved will be worth the extra wear on tires and motor, the extra cost of gas and the increased chance of accident.

Slow down before entering a curve. Then accelerate, but not too much. Your tires don't have to "squeal" to be unhappy on a curve.

Slow down on rough roads. Your springs may be able to take it, but your tires can't.

Don't stage a climbing test on every hill. Your gears are there for a purpose.

Don't coast downhill. It's poor economy. The cost of wear on brake linings is likely to exceed greatly the amount saved in gasoline.

Note: This is the third of a series of articles based on the book, Automobile User's Guide, published by the Customer Research staff of General Motors. Next article: The Art of Stopping.

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The SNAPSHOT GUILD

THE ILLUSION OF DEPTH



The illusion of depth is very important to a landscape picture. You can achieve this effect in your pictures by observing a few simple rules.

DO YOU want to get a feeling of great depth in your pictures? Do you want, when picturing landscapes, to give the impression of vast distance? It's not at all hard to do—if you use a little common sense in choosing an appropriate camera position, watch the foreground, and work with the light instead of against it.

Take this week's illustration, for instance. As landscapes go, it's not bad. In fact it conveys the illusion of depth to an unusual degree—but not by chance. The photographer, I dare say, planned it so. In the first place, you'll note that instead of taking a picture when the lake was devoid of life he waited until a canoe passed through the foreground. Or perhaps, he "planted" it there. Regardless, the appearance of the canoe in the foreground immediately accomplished two things: it added human interest to the picture, and gave us a basis of comparison for the other objects in the scene.

Not content with that, however, the photographer very carefully

chose a point of view behind some low hanging trees so that a few branches hung down from above, and thus added another plane to the scene. In other words, he gave us something familiar and very near to look at, and also something distant to see. Fortunately, too, there are three tones or planes in the distant shore, and mountain beyond, which further emphasize the illusion of depth.

And there, in a nutshell, is the secret of getting a feeling of depth in your pictures. Make sure that some familiar object—such as a tree, a barn, a house, a horse, a canoe, etc.—is included in the foreground of your picture, along with "human interest" when possible.

Here's one further tip which isn't illustrated by the picture, but which is important just the same. Watch for sidelighting. Objects and scenes which are pictured when the sun is shining upon them from the side appear to have a greater feeling of roundness and depth than those pictured with flat illumination.

John van Guilder

ECONOMIC HIGHLIGHTS

National and International Problems Inseparable from Local Welfare

"When the history of War II is written, that page belonging to the indomitable Dutch should be illuminated with the blood of heroes. For a thousand years, free men should stand and uncover whenever the Battle of Java is mentioned. They never had a chance, those Dutchmen, but they freely gave their lives in the hope that others might have a chance."

These were the opening lines of a recent dispatch from Melbourne filed by "Time" correspondent Robert Sherard. What the Dutch did in Java, other United Nations troops—English, Australian, Chinese—have done in many theatres of war. They fought against impossible odds—but they never gave up fighting. They faced an enemy who possessed sickening superiority in men, guns, planes, ships—and they faced him without flinching. Even today, Dutch guerrillas are harrying the Japs in Java, precisely as in the Balkans guerrilla bands who have disavowed their puppet governments are harrying the legions of Hitler.

These are the kinds of troops of which great victorious armies are made. These troops lost their battles simply because they did not have the incredible amount of equipment that modern war demands. There were never enough planes, never enough anti-aircraft guns, never enough ships-of-war. Courage could not do the impossible.

The terrible series of disasters in the Pacific would have dismayed peoples who were less grimly determined on eventual victory. But correspondents universally report the highest of morale in the in-

ternational army which has been placed under General MacArthur's command. The dramatic appearance of MacArthur in Australia brought new hope to all the United Nations. And great cause for hope and certainty of victory is found in American war production. The precise statistics cannot, of course, be printed. What can be told is that the instruments of war are really rolling out of the factories now—and that signal progress is being made in the production of ships to carry them to the battlefronts.

In the meantime, our strategy in the Pacific is clear. MacArthur's job is to hold Australia until many months from now—he will have the equipment and the trained troops and the planes which will make a great counter-offensive possible. Today, Australia is the seat of destiny. It must not be lost.

The AEF in Australia has found it populated by a people very much like Americans. In size, it is a gigantic country, with great extremes of topography and climate. In population, it is small—7,000,000. It is bisected by a vast desert, which forms a natural defensive barrier. Its Anzac troops are among the finest in the world. Today many thousands of Australians undoubtedly feel a closer kinship with America than with England. It is a significant commentary on the Australian outlook that its government asked President Roosevelt to send MacArthur, an American General, to take supreme command.

MacArthur's first words on reaching Australia indicate the temper of his thinking. "I came through. I will return." Those who know him say that he will not remain on the defensive an hour

longer than is necessary. He is a brilliant advocate of offensive war. His plan is to strike hard and mercilessly at the enemy. Those generals who placed their faith in defensive strategy have disappeared into the limbo of defeat. It took us a long time to learn what Hitler's commanders understand so well—victory belongs to the daring.

In the interim before the major counter-offensive is launched, we may be certain that the American Navy and Air Force, working with other United Nations forces, will give a good account of themselves. The submarine fleet has taken a heavy toll of Jap warships and supply ships. Some important blows have been struck by American bombers. The enemy is being bled. Whenever we have had anything approaching equality in numbers and equipment we have won the engagements.

A short time ago, Chiang Kai Chek told a group of officers that he would entertain them one day in Tokyo. The United Nations mean to take this war straight home to the enemy—with a vengeance.

THE PREFERRED ACCIDENT INSURANCE CO. OF N. Y.
ASSETS DEC. 31, 1941

Real Estate	\$ 2,000.00
Mortgage Loans	475,735.40
Stocks and Bonds	7,100,413.66
Cash in Office and Bank	1,694,698.88
Agents' Balances	1,112,049.95
Bills Receivable	98,474.74
Interest and Rents	38,493.41
All other Assets	147,388.75
Gross Assets	\$11,259,254.79
Deduct items not admitted	957,050.46
Admitted	\$10,302,194.33

LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1941

Net Unpaid Losses	\$ 2,750,987.27
Unearned Premiums	5,282,723.12
All other Liabilities	672,847.00
Cash Capital	1,000,000.00
Surplus over all Liabilities	2,595,536.94
Total Liabilities and Surplus	\$10,302,194.33

PATRIOTIC INSURANCE CO.
New York, N. Y.
ASSETS DEC. 31, 1941

Stocks and Bonds	\$2,681,178.26
Cash in Office and Bank	447,562.43
Agents' Balances	123,916.78
Interest and Rents	11,362.64
All other Assets	23,581.84
Gross Assets	\$3,287,601.91
Less items not admitted	164,914.06
Admitted	\$3,122,687.85

LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1941

Net Unpaid Losses	\$121,645.00
Unearned Premiums	319,185.88
All other Liabilities	49,786.02
Cash Capital	1,000,000.00
Surplus over Liabilities & Surplus	1,132,170.97
Total Liabilities & Surplus	\$3,122,687.85

CONNECTICUT INDEMNITY COMPANY
New Haven, Conn.
ASSETS DEC. 31, 1941

Stocks and Bonds	\$1,765,069.89
Cash in Office and Bank	402,881.60
Agents' Balances	284,192.76
Interest and Rents	12,983.22
Other Assets	28,982.95
Gross Assets	\$2,494,090.41
Less items not admitted	68,768.23
Admitted	\$2,425,322.18

LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1941

Unpaid Losses	\$592,073.51
Unearned Premiums	651,875.42
Other Liabilities	144,644.84
Cash Capital	500,000.00
Surplus over Liabilities & Surplus	536,728.41
Total Liabilities & Surplus	\$2,425,322.18

LUMBERMEN'S MUTUAL CASUALTY CO.
Chicago, Ill.
ASSETS DEC. 31, 1941

Real Estate	\$1,451,325.62
Mortgage Loans	805,247.10
Stocks and Bonds	27,624,863.03
Cash in Office and Bank	11,392,737.70
Agents' Balances	4,054,388.92
Interest and Rents	58,575.63
All other Assets	4,062.54
Gross Assets	\$45,481,200.72
Less items not admitted	117,912.28
Admitted	\$45,363,288.44

LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1941

Net Unpaid Losses	\$22,650,782.81
Unearned Premiums	10,903,862.00
All other Liabilities	5,748,643.63
Surplus over Liabilities & Surplus	6,000,000.00
Total Liabilities & Surplus	\$45,363,288.44

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Omaha, Nebraska
ASSETS DEC. 31, 1941

Realty	\$43,052.00
Mortgage Loans	79,789.53
Stocks and Bonds	14,220,255.05
Cash in Office & Bank	1,532,204.21
Agents' Balances	255,896.54
Interest & Rents	127,843.58
All other Assets	90,297.84
Gross Assets	\$16,249,338.78
Less items unadmitted	342,514.37
Admitted	\$16,006,824.41

LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1941

Net unpaid losses	\$7,189,231.12
Unearned Premiums	3,949,468.77
All other Liabilities	2,337,841.08
Surplus over Liabilities & Surplus	2,530,283.44
Total Liabilities & Surplus	\$16,006,824.41

STANDARD ACCIDENT INSURANCE COMPANY
Detroit, Mich.
ASSETS DEC. 31, 1941

Real Estate	\$1,126,462.38
Mortgage Loans	1,245,093.84
Stocks and Bonds	16,684,837.40
Cash in Office and Bank	6,800,967.44
Agents' Balances	3,662,768.95
Bills Receivable	127,933.55
Interest and Rents	68,261.15
All other Assets	810,527.40
Gross Assets	\$30,526,847.11
Less items not admitted	\$36,170.53
Admitted	\$29,690,676.58

LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1941

Net Unpaid Losses	\$10,665,315.93
Unearned Premiums	7,650,568.23
All other Liabilities	2,001,752.69
Surplus over Liabilities & Surplus	7,613,659.73
Cash Capital	1,759,380.00
Total Liabilities and Surplus	\$29,690,676.58

AMERICAN MOTORISTS INSURANCE COMPANY
Chicago, Ill.
ASSETS DEC. 31, 1941

Real Estate	\$119,635.02
Mortgage Loans	140,972.96
Stocks and Bonds	4,968,331.75
Cash in Office and Bank	4,370,339.80
Agents' Balances	795,115.65
Interest and Rents	11,050.02
Gross Assets	\$10,405,451.20
Deduct items not admitted	39,325.00
Admitted	\$10,366,126.20

LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1941

Net Unpaid Losses	\$4,670,920.25
Unearned Premiums	2,159,777.00
All other Liabilities	1,376,428.95
Cash Capital	750,000.00
Surplus over Liabilities & Surplus	1,500,000.00
Total Liabilities & Surplus	\$10,366,126.20

SECURITY INSURANCE CO. OF NEW HAVEN
New Haven, Conn.
ASSETS DEC. 31, 1941

Real Estate	\$825,570.04
Mortgage Loans	653,013.58
Stocks and Bonds	9,093,909.53
Cash in Office and Bank	1,163,349.14
Agents' Balances	1,057,576.58
Bills Receivable	51,716.70
Interest and Rents	33,059.86
Other Assets	1,001,189.04
Gross Assets	\$13,579,383.97
Less items not admitted	327,337.13
Admitted	\$13,252,046.84

LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1941

Unpaid Losses	\$924,197.66
Unearned Premiums	5,033,343.27
Other Liabilities	1,294,505.91
Cash Capital	2,000,000.00
Surplus over Liabilities & Surplus	4,000,000.00
Total Liabilities and Surplus	\$13,252,046.84

FEDERAL MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE CO.
260 Tremont St., Boston, Mass.
ASSETS DEC. 31, 1941

Stocks and Bonds	\$623,621.11
Cash in Office and Bank	556,715.87
Agents' Balances	85,402.85
Interest and Rents	3,400.62
All other Assets	2,028.13
Gross Assets	\$1,272,068.63
Less items not admitted	450.62
Admitted	\$1,271,618.01

LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1941

Net Unpaid Losses	\$64,572.86
Unearned Premiums	699,886.18
Reserve Contingencies (Vol.)	24,733.98
All other Liabilities	32,424.99
Guaranty Fund	100,000.00
Surplus over Liabilities & Surplus	350,000.00
Total Liabilities & Surplus	\$1,271,618.01

UNITED MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE CO.
Boston, Mass.
ASSETS DEC. 31, 1941

Stocks and Bonds	\$7,034,223.89
Cash in Office & Bank	2,234,601.73
Agents' Balances	863,831.65
Bills Receivable	1,693.23
Interest and Rents	39,477.10
All other Assets	33,836.82
Gross Assets	\$10,207,724.42
Less items not admitted	554,987.08
Admitted	\$9,652,736.74

LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1941

Net Unpaid Losses	\$264,223.00
Unearned Premiums	5,045,088.62
All other Liabilities	766,351.89
Cash Capital	100,000.00
Surplus over Liabilities & Surplus	3,477,073.23
Total Liabilities & Surplus	\$9,652,736.74

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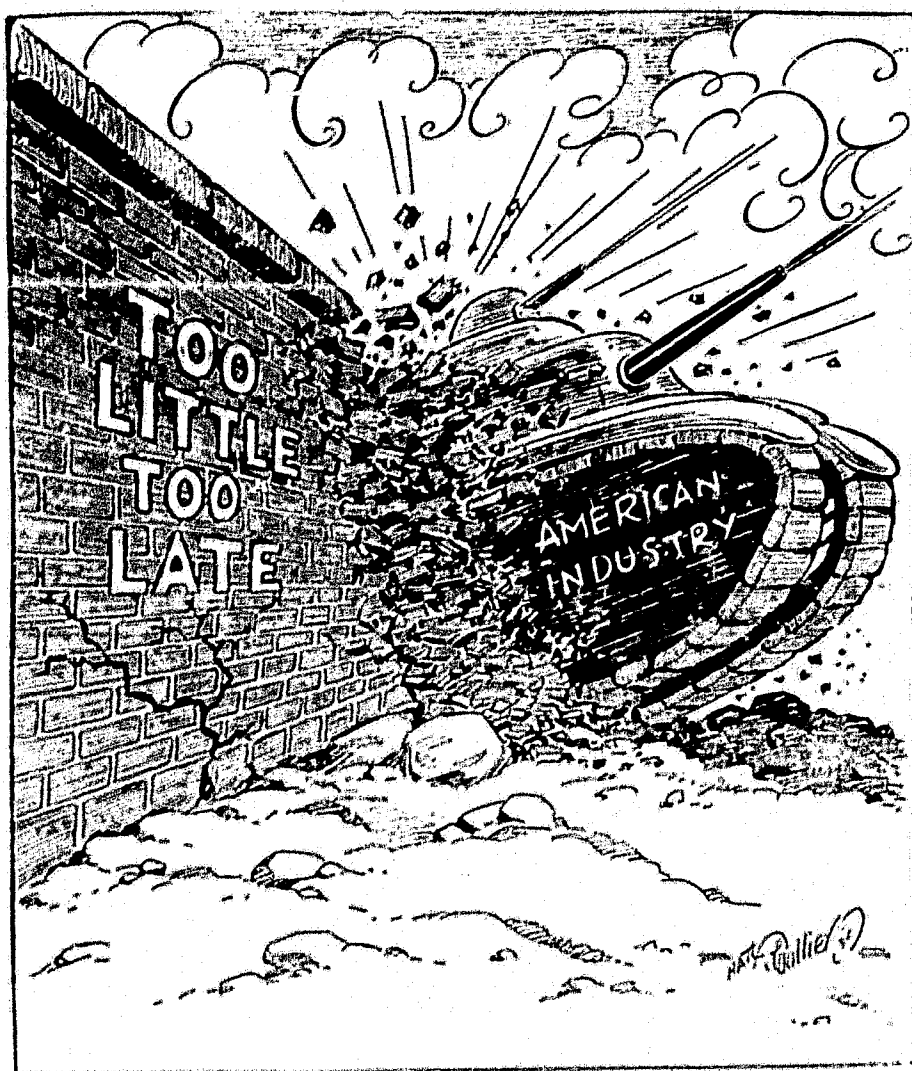
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BETHEL

Jim Morrow is boarding at Mrs. Mabel Robertson's.

Gard Gorman left Tuesday for U. S. Army service.

Miss Phyllis Davis spent the week-end in Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Bennett are in Portland today.

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Chapman have moved here from Portland.

Miss Mary Robertson was home from Waterville over the week-end.

Rev. M. A. Gordon attended a conference at Waterville, Wednesday.

Mrs. Rena Foster has been visiting friends in town the past week.

Miss Helen Williamson of Portland was a week-end guest of Miss Hope Bean.

Kenneth Wight was home over the week-end from his work at Bath shipyard.

Sidney Dyke of Windsor Mills, Que., is enjoying a vacation with his family here.

Polly and Jo Hewey of Wilson's Mills have been recent visitors of relatives in town.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Davis has been named Leslie Lee.

Mrs. Winfield Howe spent the week-end in Bath with her husband and son, Sidney.

Ronald Jones of Portland is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. I. Bean, this week.

Caroline Merrill spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Merrill, at Bath.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Moore returned last week from Key West, Fla., where they spent the winter.

Edward Wheeler left today for Augusta, where he will take his final examination for the Marine Corps.

Miss Margaret Hamlin, R. N., of Portland has been the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Hamlin.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Robertson arrived home Saturday from North Conway, N. H., where they spent the winter.

Ann Drummond of Portland is spending two weeks with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. J. Omer Drummond.

Miss Frances Carter and Miss Barbara Lyon of Portland spent the week-end and holiday at their homes in town.

Miss Mary Sanborn of South Portland spent the week-end and holiday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Sanborn.

The amount of Defense Bonds and Stamps purchased at the Bethel Grammar School this week is: Grade V, \$2.20; VI, \$7.35; VII, \$23.80; VIII, \$4.10.

Miss Isabel Kimball was called to her home at East Bethel Saturday by the death of her grandmother, Mrs. Dutton.

The Oxford County Citizen

The Bethel News, 1906
The Rumford Citizen, 1906

Published every Thursday in the interests of the inhabitants of Bethel and the other towns of northwestern Oxford County. Entered as second class matter, May 7, 1908, at the post office at Bethel, Maine. Contributions and pictures of interest are gladly received \$2 a year; three years for \$5 in advance. Telephone 100

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THURSDAY, APRIL 23, 1942

MONDAY REGISTRATION INCLUDES ONLY NINE SIMPLE QUESTIONS

Only nine simple questions will be asked those men beyond the military ages who register on April 27, for classification as to their skills and aptitudes for war production activities, Gen. James W. Hanson, State Director of Selective Service for Maine, emphasized today.

Every male citizen of the United States, and every other male person residing in Continental United States, or in the Territories of Alaska and Hawaii, or in Puerto Rico, other than persons specifically exempted by law, born on or after April 28, 1877, and on or before Feb. 16, 1897, who have not heretofore been registered under the Act, must register.

Director Hanson pointed out that those who register on April 27 are not liable for military service under the Selective Training and Service Act of 1940, as amended. They will be required later to fill out an occupational questionnaire concerning their civilian qualifications and skills, but that is for the purpose of obtaining information only.

When registered, each registrant must answer, according to Director Hanson, the following nine questions: (1) Name of Registrant; (2) Place of Residence; (3) Mailing Address (if other than Place of Residence); (4) Telephone; (5) Age in Years and Date of Birth; (6) Place of Birth; (7) Name and Address of Person who will always know your Address; (8) Employer's Name and Address; and (9) Place of Employment or Business.

After a registrant has answered all questions and signed his name to the registration card, he will be given a registration certificate signed by the registrar. This certificate must be in personal possession of the registrant at all times. Director Hanson warned. Failure to possess the certificate, or to show it to authorized persons, constitutes a violation of Selective Service Regulations, and is considered prima facie evidence of failure to register, Director Hanson said.

PETROLEUM AND PRODUCTS MADE UP ONE THIRD OF ALL U. S. WATERBORNE TRANSPORTATION

One-third of all foreign and domestic waterborne trade of the United States in 1940 was crude petroleum and petroleum products, a report of the Board of Engineers for Rivers and Harbors reveals.

Total shipments of all products by water to and from, and within the United States, amounted to 667,900,000 tons, of which petroleum accounted for 200,477,000 tons, the report shows. The greatest movement of petroleum was in coastwise shipments which totaled 114,640,000 tons or three-fourths of the total 155,929,000 tons of all products. Sixty-five per cent of all crude oil, 55 per cent of the gasoline, and 50 per cent of the fuel and bunker oil, were shipped in the coastwise trade.

Crude petroleum accounted for one-third of the total petroleum movement by water. The shipments of 67,113,000 tons, equivalent approximately to 475,000,000 barrels, would indicate that more than one-third of all crude petroleum produced in 1940 was transported by water at some point in the movement from the well to the refinery.

SOUTH ALBANY

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wardwell were in Lewiston, Friday afternoon.

Ivan Kimball has been working for Murray King a few days.

Arthur Wardwell went to Locke Mills Friday with Murray King on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Kimball called at Ernest Wentworth's, Friday evening.

William Pechnik spent the week-end and holiday in camp with his father.

Ernest and George Wentworth are working on their feldspar ledge.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wardwell were in Bryant Pond, Sunday.

EAST BETHEL

Miss Kathleen Mitchell and friend of Dixfield were Sunday guests of her grandmother, Mrs. Ida Blake.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Coolidge, Lester Jr. and Billy were guests of relatives and friends here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hastings were in South Paris, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Mellen Kimball and baby of Five Islands and Donald Kimball of South Portland were week-end guests of Mrs. Doris Kimball and attended the funeral services for their grandmother, Mrs. Mabel Dutton, which were held Monday afternoon at Bethel.

Mr. Dutton has moved his furniture from the "Bean place" to the home of his step-daughter, Mrs. Doris Kimball.

East Bethel Farm Bureau held a Nutrition meeting Thursday at the Grange Hall. Dinner was served at noon by Mrs. Ruth Hastings and Mrs. Edith Howe. Mrs. Marguerite Bartlett was in charge of the meeting. Mrs. Bartlett, Mrs. Tyler, Mrs. Florence Hastings and Mrs. Howe were selected to take the Canteen training course. Mrs. Marguerite Bartlett and Mrs. Florence Hastings gave accounts of Farm and Home week programs and meetings. Mrs. Hastings showed her "Betty," made the day before at South Paris, and several spoke of making one to fit their own clothes on. Friday was the day set for two members to Mrs. Hastings' home and make a Betty for each of them.

The written examination of the First Aid class was given Monday evening. The final meeting will be held Thursday evening of this week as next week is vacation week for the school.

MRS. E. W. DUTTON

Mrs. Mabel Dutton, wife of Earlin W. Dutton, passed away at her home in East Bethel Friday afternoon after several years of ill health. She was born at Paris Hill Aug. 1, 1860, the daughter of Jarlous and Ellen Jordan Jackson. She received her education in the Paris schools.

Mrs. Dutton was survived by one daughter, Mrs. Doris Kimball, of East Bethel, nine grandchildren in Bethel, Paris and Turner and two great grandchildren, besides her husband, Earlin W. Dutton. Mrs. Dutton had been a resident of Bethel and East Bethel for about 40 years.

Services were held Monday at Greenleaf's home in Bethel and burial was beside her mother in Paris.

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JACKSON-SILVER
The Jackson-Silver met for their regular Friday evening, A good attendance.

Poppy Chairman reported poppy sale made poppies will the poppy posters in the schools.

Child Welfare Kimball led the dis of earning money fare work. The \$1 National for the public Units for the voted and will be ly to Dept. Sec. Ar

The Ladies vote Dept. President H at their regular n The Committee wi ing May birthdays

There will be no officers at the next May 1st. Everyt something to eat.

Refreshments w April Birthdays. N cookies.

gan and Mrs. Ina s of ice cream, home

Dept. Members Fannie Cummings guest of the Lew Unit at their Ann April 16, after wh the new officers c Falls, Minot and 150, assisted by Vice President of win Unit.

Ina Smith, acting Oxford County Sal Fannie Cummings Annual Patriots D 8-40 at the Falmou land Saturday eve

Chief Observer

People, Spots In The News



QUEZON VISITS—Wearing steel helmet, President Manuel Quezon of Philippines paid visit to General Douglas MacArthur during Jap attack and invasion of islands.

GOOD FELLER—Bob Feller, former pitching ace of Cleveland Indians, is shown wearing his new Navy baseball uniform of Norfolk, Va., training station team.



BLOOD BANKS—Employees of business and industry are contributing to Red Cross blood banks, which have tapped veins of 135,000 donors in 18 cities. Shown here are six members of Schenley company, New York, from which 300 workers volunteered to give pint of blood each.

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JACKSON-SILVER UNIT, No. 68
The Jackson-Silver Post and Unit met for their regular meetings, Friday evening, April 17, with a good attendance.

Poppy Chairman Bertha Mason reported poppy seals and veteran-made poppies will be sold and that the poppy posters are being made in the schools.

Child Welfare Chairman Anne Kimball led the discussion on ways of earning money for Child Welfare work. The \$1.00 requested by National for the purchasing of Mobile Units for the Red Cross, was voted and will be sent immediately to Dept. Sec. Anne Lovely.

The ladies voted to entertain Dept. President Hilda Hatch and at their regular meeting May 15. The Committee will be those having May birthdays.

There will be nomination of officers at the next regular meeting May 1st. Everybody will bring something to eat, so it's pot luck!

Refreshments were served by the April Birthdays. Mrs. Idella Morcockes.

gan and Mrs. Ina Smith, consisting of ice cream, home made cake and Dept. Membership Chairman Fannie Cummings was a special guest of the Lewiston Post and Unit at their Anniversary Supper April 16, after which she installed the new officers of the Mechanic Falls, Minot and Poland Unit No. 150, assisted by Alice Blaquiere, Vice President of the West Baldwin Unit.

Ina Smith, acting secretary of the Oxford County Salen 8-40 and Mrs. Fannie Cummings attended the Annual Patriots Day Dinner of the 8-40 at the Falmouth Hotel in Portland Saturday evening, April 18.

Chief Observer Charles Clifford

GOULD ACADEMY ...

Gould Academy Junior Prom in the form of a Victory Dance will be held at the William Bingham Gymnasium on Thursday, April 23. Committees for the Junior Prom

Decoration — Malcolm Brown, Chairman, Harriet Holmes, Rachel Gordon, Carolyn Wight, Ida Lee Clough, Richard Jordan

Clean-Up — Vernon Bennett, Chairman, Arlene Donahue, Norman Torrey, Madeleine Hart, Hugh Scarborough

Program — Robert Golderman, Chairman, Barbara Graves, Robert Greenleaf, Ellen Peabody, Gladys Neuswanger

Refreshment — Nora Chipman, Chairman, Clark Richmond, Carolyn Goudy, Glendon McAlister

Ticket — Louisa Bacon, Chairman, Albert Buck, Helen Fogg, William Wright.

Mr. Cavanaugh is substituting two weeks for Mr. Bowhay, who has been inducted into the Army. At present he is stationed at Fort Devens.

Mr. Ireland is attending a Civilian Defense School in Amherst, Mass., for two weeks.

Oxford County School Masters Dinner at Gould Academy on Wednesday, April 29, at 6:15 p. m.

The public is cordially invited to attend a meeting in the Gould Academy Assembly Hall on Wednesday, April 29, at 7:30 p. m., at which time Prof. Robert P. Tristram Coffin of Bowdoin College, winner of the Pulitzer Poetry Award in 1935, will read some of his poems. Prof. Coffin was born in Brunswick, Maine, in March, 1892. He was a Rhodes Scholar at Oxford University, receiving degrees there and at Bowdoin and Princeton.

Orders for THE ACADEMY HERALD should be mailed to Manager Edward C. Bean, Bethel, Maine, before May 1. Price 75c.

NORTH NEWRY

Several from here will attend the First Aid training classes to be held at Upton, beginning Thursday, the 23d. Evenings from 6 o'clock to 10 o'clock.

There was no school here Monday, Patriot's Day.

Miss Carrie Wight and Mrs. Rena Foster were callers at F. W. and L. E. Wight's, Sunday.

Erwin Sweatt of Errol, N. H., was at the Town Clerk's office, Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Wight and little son, Eric, were Sunday afternoon callers at L. E. Wight's.

Mrs. L. E. Wight, Mrs. Elsie Enman, Miss Louise Plunkett, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Vail and Mr. H. H. Morton attended the Gym Exhibition and entertainment at Gould Academy, Thursday evening.

CROOKED RIVER VICTORY 4-H CLUB

The Crooked River Victory 4-H Club held their 5th meeting last Saturday. The Sewing Girls cut out holders and basted them with even and uneven basting. For refreshments there was cocoa and a birthday cake for all members who have had a birthday in April, which are Assistant Leader, Jean Lapham, Eleanor Kimball, Marion Lapham and Shirley Andrews.

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Oxford, ss.
TO THE HONORABLE JUSTICES OF THE SUPERIOR COURT to be held at Paris, within and for said County of Oxford, on the 2nd Tuesday of June, A. D. 1942.

Respectfully Represents, Florence E. Hewey resident at Bethel in the County of Oxford and State of Maine that she was lawfully married to Ellery B. Hewey, formerly of Holden in the County of Penobscot and State of Maine, but now of parts unknown, at Milo in the County of Piscataquis and State of Maine on the 23rd day of December A. D. 1918, by a clergyman, then and there duly authorized to solemnize marriages therein; That the Libellant and Libellee cohabited in this State after their said marriage;

That the Libellant resided in this State when the cause of divorce accrued as hereinafter set forth; That the Libellant has resided in this State in good faith for one year prior to the commencement of these proceedings;

That the Libellant has ever been faithful to her marriage obligations, but that the said Libellee has been unfaithful of the same;

That there is no collusion between your Libellant and the said Libellee to obtain a divorce;

That on the 25th day of April A. D. 1937, said Libellee utterly deserted your Libellant without reasonable cause and has continued said desertion for three consecutive years next prior to the filing of this libel;

That three children have been born to them during their said marriage, of whom three are now living, viz.: Cora M. Hewey, age 16; Lawrence E. Hewey, age 13; Vivian M. Hewey, age 9.

Wherefore, your Libellant prays that a divorce from the bonds of matrimony between herself and the said Libellee may be decreed; and that the care and custody of their minor children, Cora M. Hewey, Lawrence E. Hewey and Vivian M. Hewey may be given to said Libellant;

And your Libellant further alleges that the residence of said Libellee is unknown to your Libellant and cannot be ascertained by reasonable diligence.

Dated at Bethel, Maine, this Eleventh day of April, A. D. 1942.

FLORENCE E. HEWEY Libellant

STATE OF MAINE

Oxford, ss.

April 11th, A. D. 1942
Personally appeared Florence E. Hewey above named Libellant and made oath that the foregoing allegation as to the residence of the Libellee is true.

Before me,
GERARD S. WILLIAMS Justice of the Peace.

STATE OF MAINE

County of Oxford, ss.

Superior Court in Vacation.

April 16th A. D. 1942

Upon the foregoing Libel, ORDERED That the Libellant give

notice to the said Ellery E. Hewey to appear before the Justice of the Superior Court, to be holden at Paris, within and for the County of Oxford, on the 2nd Tuesday of June, A. D. 1942, by publishing an attested copy of said libel, and this order thereon, three weeks successively in the Oxford County Citizen, a newspaper printed in Bethel, Maine, in our County of Oxford, the last publication to be 30 days at least prior to said second Tuesday of June, 1942, that he may there and then in our said Court appear and show cause, if any he have, why the prayer of said Libellant should not be granted.

ALBERT BELIVEAU

Justice of the Superior Court

A true copy of the libel and order of court thereon.

Attest:

RUPERT F. ALDRICH, Clerk 19

NOTICE

The Annual Meeting of the Pine Grove Cemetery Association of West Bethel will be held at the home of Douglas Cushing on April 30, 1942, at 7:30 p. m. for the purpose of electing officers for the ensuing year, and transacting any other business that may come before the meeting.

Also to see what action the Association will take relative to the sale of or exchange or other disposition of the \$500. Brown Co. 5% First mortgage bond now owned by the Association, represented by a certificate of deposit.

MAUD REILLY, Secretary West Bethel, Me.

April 23, 1942.

MERCHANTS MUTUAL CASUALTY COMPANY

Buffalo, New York

ASSETS DEC. 31, 1941

Real Estate, \$116,721.00

Mortgage Loans, 656,653.44

Stocks and Bonds, 2,550,460.71

Cash in Office and Bank, 1,145,950.83

Agents' Balances, 412,019.67

Bills Receivable, 36,460.76

Interest and Rents, 15,512.22

Gross Assets, \$4,933,778.57

Deduct items not admitted, 692,861.47

Admitted, \$4,240,917.10

LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1941

Net Unpaid Losses, \$1,997,904.53

Unearned Premiums, 1,313,035.00

All other Liabilities, 126,431.67

Surplus over all Liabilities, 803,545.31

Total Liabilities and Surplus, \$4,240,917.10

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ASSETS DEC. 31, 1941

Real Estate, \$14,216.22
Mortgage Loans, 327,054.80
Stocks and Bonds, 16,077,813.98
Cash in Office and Bank, 5,286,506.18
Agents' Balances, 1,398,962.92
Bills Receivable, 210,091.12
Interest and Rents, 53,303.41
All other Assets, 284,284.54

Gross Assets, \$23,652,233.17
Deduct items not admitted, 3,493,534.10

Admitted, \$20,158,699.07
LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1941

Net Unpaid Losses, \$2,844,505.00
Unearned Premiums, 6,747,471.11
Contingency Reserve, 274,488.46
All other Liabilities and Reserves, 861,785.40
Cash Capital, 1,000,000.00
Surplus over all Liabilities, 8,630,449.10

Total Liabilities and Surplus, \$20,158,699.07
Contingency reserve represents difference between total values carried in assets for all bonds and stocks owned and the total values based on December 31st, 1941 market quotations.

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ASSETS DEC. 31, 1941

Mortgage Loans, \$5,650.00
Stocks and Bonds, 23,192,831.23
Cash in Office and Bank, 1,454,128.00
Agents' Balances, 791,853.69
Bills Receivable, 21,342.33
Interest and Rents, 101,125.48
All other Assets, 109,397.73

Gross Assets, \$25,876,327.86
Deduct items not admitted, 1,907,392.27

Admitted, \$23,968,935.59
LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1941

Net Unpaid Losses, \$1,379,075.88
Unearned Premiums, 7,936,147.01
All other Liabilities, 1,746,159.09
Cash Capital, 5,000,000.00
Surplus over all Liabilities, 7,707,553.61

Total Liabilities and Surplus, \$23,968,935.59
On the basis of Dec. 31, 1941 market quotations for all bonds and stocks owned, this company's total admitted assets would be increased to \$24,282,508.22 and surplus to \$8,221,126.24.

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ASSETS DEC. 31, 1941

Mortgage Loans, \$11,000.00
Stocks and Bonds, 7,501,643.12
Cash in Office and Bank, 1,121,595.11
Agents' Balances, 779,385.20
Bills Receivable, 18,961.08
Interest and Rents, 29,967.78
All other Assets, 807,270.71

Gross Assets, \$10,869,713.00
Deduct items not admitted, 362,200.01

Admitted, \$10,507,512.99
LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1941

Net Unpaid Losses, \$1,408,571.77
Unearned Premiums, 3,512,108.40
All other Liabilities, 508,708.89
Deposit Capital, 500,000.00
Surplus over all Liabilities, 3,722,008.08

Total Liabilities and Surplus, \$10,507,512.99

HOME FIRE AND MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY

San Francisco, California
ASSETS DEC. 31, 1941

Mortgage Loans, \$61,841.13
Stocks and Bonds, 5,980,437.81
Cash in Office and Bank, 1,831,515.32
Agents' Balances, 579,383.21
Bills Receivable, 2,064.10
Interest and Rents, 33,411.70
All other Assets, -101,965.54

Gross Assets, \$8,386,707.73
Deduct items not admitted, 69,378.41

Admitted, \$8,317,329.32
LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1941

Net Unpaid Losses, \$741,557.04
Unearned Premiums, 3,118,408.92
All other Liabilities, 243,542.88
Cash Capital, 1,000,000.00
Surplus over all Liabilities, 3,315,864.04

Total Liabilities and Surplus, \$8,317,329.32

EQUITABLE FIRE & MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY

Providence, R. I.
ASSETS DEC. 31, 1941

Mortgage Loans, \$30,000.00
Stocks and Bonds, 6,412,089.77
Cash in Office and Bank, 1,152,146.17
Agents' Balances, 342,212.12
Bills Receivable, 2,003.14
Interest and Rents, 25,425.72
All other Assets, 68,078.15

Gross Assets, \$8,031,955.07
Deduct items not admitted, 348,571.78

Admitted Assets, \$7,683,383.29
LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1941

Net Unpaid Losses, \$268,136.53
Unearned Premiums, 1,221,561.26
All other Liabilities, 96,564.79
Cash Capital, 1,000,000.00
Surplus over all Liabilities, 5,097,120.71

Total Liabilities and Surplus, \$7,683,383.29

ROYAL EXCHANGE ASSURANCE

London, England
UNITED STATES BRANCH
108 John St., New York, N. Y.
ASSETS DEC. 31, 1941

Stocks and Bonds, \$4,386,252.28
Cash in Office and Bank, 911,184.87
Agents' Balances, 627,986.77
Interest and Rents, 18,420.77
All other Assets, 63,400.69

Gross Assets, \$5,007,812.00
Deduct items not admitted, 474,568.76

Admitted, \$4,533,243.24
LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1941

Net Unpaid Losses, \$1,000,972.58
Unearned Premiums, 3,282,436.75
All other Liabilities, 330,800.01
Statutory Deposit, \$500,000.00

Surplus over all Liabilities, \$18,902.94
Total Liabilities and Surplus, \$4,533,243.24

FIRE ASSOCIATION OF PHILADELPHIA

ASSETS DEC. 31, 1941

Real Estate, \$2,836,501.01
Mortgage Loans, 378,972.32
Stocks and Bonds, 21,521,075.62
Cash in Office and Bank, 1,706,868.81
Agents' Balances, 1,774,083.12
Interest and Rents, 32,490.16
All other Assets, 556,723.02

Gross Assets, \$26,796,354.06
Deduct items not admitted, 8,390,178.06

Admitted, \$18,406,176.00
LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1941

Net Unpaid Losses, \$1,097,631.09
Unearned Premiums, 12,063,338.97
All other Liabilities, 1,334,454.24
Cash Capital, 2,000,000.00

Surplus over all Liabilities, 3,000,760.97
Total Liabilities and Surplus, \$25,406,176.20

U. S. BRANCH OF THE ATLAS ASSURANCE COMPANY LIMITED

145 Fifth Avenue, New York, N. Y.
ASSETS DEC. 31, 1941

Stocks and Bonds, \$5,774,227.86
Cash in Office and Bank, 1,362,789.52
Agents' Balances, 566,181.04
All other Assets, 6,279.80

Gross Assets, \$7,731,428.02
Deduct items not admitted, 971,868.07

Admitted, \$6,759,559.95
LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1941

Net Unpaid Losses, \$474,736.00
Unearned Premiums, 3,440,200.22
All other Liabilities, 464,002.53
Statutory Deposit, 500,000.00

Surplus over all Liabilities, 1,871,561.20
Total Liabilities and Surplus, \$6,759,559.95

GRANITE STATE FIRE INSURANCE CO.

Portsmouth, N. H.
ASSETS DEC. 31, 1941

Real Estate, \$129,138.28
Mortgage Loans, 8,106.70
Stocks and Bonds, 3,930,265.84
Cash in Office and Bank, 525,355.24
Agents' Balances, 287,818.54
Bills Receivable, 33,921.50
Interest and Rents, 31,533.65
All other Assets, 19,778.59

Gross Assets, \$4,965,418.34
Deduct items not admitted, 286,764.71

Admitted, \$4,678,653.63
LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1941

Net Unpaid Losses, \$220,028.94
Unearned Premiums, 1,762,104.39
All other Liabilities, 62,087.44
Cash Capital, 1,000,000.00

Surplus over all Liabilities, 1,634,412.86
Total Liabilities and Surplus, \$4,678,653.63

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BRYANT POND

Mrs. Inez Whitman, Correspondent

Misses Ramona Farnum and Elsie Redman went Friday to Gorham, N. H., to visit Miss Farnum's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Dana Berry. They returned home Monday night.

Miss Clara Whitman and Miss Arlene Swan and brother, Kenneth Swan, were in Norway last Wednesday, where Arlene and Kenneth had teeth filled.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Farnum and daughter, Mary Stuart, and Miss Clara Whitman left Mr. Farnum at Augusta and the rest continued to Oakland where they were guests of Mrs. Clifford Taylor.

Mrs. Bessie Andrews, Mrs. Edna Newton and Mrs. Lucy Rowe went to Lewiston Thursday. They went with the Farnum's.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Whitman and three children of Norway were in town, Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Inez Whitman went to Bethel with them and they called on Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Swan.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Allen are expected home from Florida this week.

Lawrence Jordan is gaining slowly.

HANOVER

There was a small chimney fire at the home of Vervion Lapham Sunday. No damage was done and it was soon put out.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Saunders, accompanied by Mrs. Amella Schwind of Rumford and Mr. and Mrs. Elton Knights of Rumford Point motored to Boothbay Harbor Monday and attended the Western Maine Pythian Jubilee Association in the evening.

Mrs. Una Stearns has been assisting Mrs. E. C. Parks, Bethel, the past week.

Sidney Dyke, an instructor in the Air Forces in Canada visited his father recently.

No session of school Monday, it being the day observed as Patriot's Day.

GREENWOOD CITY

Mr. and Mrs. Lauri Tamminen of Yarmouth spent the week end with relatives in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Curtis, Galen Curtis, and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Morgan were in Lewiston, Sunday to see their father at the C. M. G. Hospital.

The Home Nursing Class is to start this week with Mrs. Tebbetts as teacher.

Mrs. Franze Mills of North Haven recently visited her sister, Mrs. Clyde Morgan.

Mrs. Galen Curtis visited Mrs. Lewis Britton at Tubbs District on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Tapley have moved their family to Greene, Maine.

EAST STONEHAM

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Johnson and son, Richard, of Avon, Mass., were week end guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Johnson.

Mrs. Hazel Files has been quite sick with the measles. Robert Dammun, Charles Merrill, George Brown, Dorothy and Elaine Barker are the latest measles victims.

Mrs. Florence Whitman, who teaches at Brunswick was at home over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. MacLean who have been staying at Bridgton, during the winter, were at their home here one day this past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Rogers and two children of Norway were guests of her mother, Mrs. George McAllister, Sunday.

Mrs. Josie Taylor of Lovell is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Ethel Files, for a few days.

Mrs. Louise Merrill took Mr. and Mrs. Ingalls McAllister to Berwick Saturday where they will the guests of their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Meserve for a week.

Miss Mertice Berry went to her home in Cornish for the week end.

ALBANY TOWN HOUSE

and Vicinity

Mrs. Annie Bumpus, Correspondent
Rev. Bull conducted the Church service at the Town House Sunday afternoon, and Dr. Mary Cushman, a Medical Missionary from West Africa, gave a very interesting talk on her work, and illustrated it with articles collected during her 19 years stay there.

Mrs. Jean Lapham celebrated her birthday Sunday with a Birthday Party.

Mrs. Virginia Lapham, of Bath spent the week end at Warren Lapham's.

Ray Andrews called on his uncle, Jean Andrews, at Norway, Saturday.

At the next meeting of the Crooked River Victory 4-H Club, May 2nd, Miss Ethel Walsh, the Oxford County Home Demonstration Agent will be present to talk on Nutrition. All the mothers are urged to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Keniston of Rumford were at L. J. Andrews', Sunday.

Tony and Norman Lapham are spending the week at Warren Lapham's.

Will McAllister has been doing some farming for Clyde Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Thomas and family of Harrison were at Ray Lapham's, Sunday.

Mrs. Sara Andrews helped her mother, Mrs. Fred Hersey, several days last week.

Fred Pinkham has a new bicycle and Edwin Bumpus has bought his old one.

Miss Betty Smith of Bethel was Marion Lapham's guest Saturday. In the afternoon they attended the 4-H Club meeting.

Miss Beverly Hall has been ill and unable to attend school.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Andrews and children were at Warren Lapham's one evening last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Briggs were at Ray Lapham's recently.

Miss Blanche Emery has returned home from Bath where she has been caring for Mrs. Walter Lapham who was ill with measles.

L. J. Andrews has bought a bull of Walter Lord.

Mrs. Sarah Andrews and daughter, Shirley, attended the movies at Bethel, Sunday.

Farm income averaged \$23.88 a week in 1940 and was absorbed for two and one-third weeks to pay the motor taxes on each car used on the farm.

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THE CITIZEN

CENTER LOVELL

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Smith have moved from the Paul Morton rent to one of Leon Harmons at the village, and Mr. Smith is working in the Harmon Store.

Nancy Stearns spent several days recently with her aunt, Pearl McAllister.

The Lovell Volunteer Fire Dept. sponsored a public whist party, at the Town House Friday night. There were six tables in play, a lunch was served, and a dance followed.

M. R. Wilkenson, Bill Dallenger, Stanley Milliken, Shirley Gerry and Elton Hobson attended a Masonic meeting in Cornish recently.

Reta Plummer has returned from the M. G. Hospital, after receiving treatments for her ear, as it was not a mastoid.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Smith and Jimmie were guests at her father's, O. B. Farwells' at East Bethel, Sunday.

Mrs. Fred Stearns and Sarah of Woodfords spent a week with Mrs. Marcus Stearns at West Lovell.

Mr. and Mrs. Elton Hobson and family have moved into the upstairs rent, in the house across the road from the Post Office, owned by Stearns, Kimball and Walker.

Mrs. Dixon has finished work for O. E. Andrews, and has gone to visit her children in New Brunswick.

Mrs. Ted Davey was operated on the past week for gall stones and is in a Portland Hospital.

Farnham Brooks of Augusta was an overnight guest Thursday of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert McKeen, also called on several other friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert McAllister Jr., and children of Auburn were Sunday guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert McAllister.

Mrs. Grace Allen is working for Mrs. Leon Harmon.

GROVER HILL

Mrs. Peggy Kierstead, who has employment at M. F. Tyler's, was at Bryant's Pond, for a short time Saturday.

We are glad to report that Mrs. M. F. Tyler seems to be improving from her recent illness.

Walter Brown has purchased a large, handsome draft horse.

Mrs. Austin Jodrey from West Bethel, was a visitor at her brother, Maurice F. Tyler's one day last week.

Mrs. Marion A. Whitman, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Whitman, and Clarence Buck from Norway were calling on relatives and friends here Sunday.

WEST GREENWOOD

Mrs. Richard Carter and children were guests of relatives in Mechanic Falls a few days recently.

Mrs. Ada Mills was visiting friends in Berlin and Gorham, N. H., a few days recently.

Richard Carter has purchased a nice pair of horses.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Bartlett and sons were guests of Mrs. B. L. Harrington and family Sunday.

Little Gloria Wilson is the guest of her grandmother, Mrs. Sophie Conner, at West Bethel for a few days.

Paul Croteau is helping Richard Carter cut pine.

GREENWOOD CENTER

Glenn Martin visited his son, Kent, at R. L. Martin's over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Millett of Greenwood City called at Roy Martin's, Sunday.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Martin were pleased to hear that they had a baby daughter. They have named her Louise Glenna.

Miss Helen Crockett was at her home in Locke Mills over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Mill and son, Blaine, called at her folks, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Martin's over the week end.

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